

"The Ottawa Spotlight"

A Weekly Review of National Affairs
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(By Speaker)

OTTAWA, December 9th.—One of the most important political issues facing the people of the Dominion is, what is the future of the Conservative party. No matter what a person's politics may be everyone is interested in the maintenance of good government, and one of the essentials of good government under our system is an effective opposition. The C. C. F. and Social Credit parties may or may not have something sound and constructive in their doctrines. They may also have a future, but at the present time they have not the number of representatives in parliament to make them a major force. The main burden of opposition rests on the shoulders of the Conservative party. They are the "literate." The last general election, while giving an overwhelming majority to the Liberals, decided for the time being at least that this was a two party country and not a country of "groups." The recent election in British Columbia clipped another head from the Conservative membership, and it was an ancient Conservative sentiment. The time has therefore come when in the interest of Canada and of their party, the Conservatives must take hold of the situation. Whether the chairman of the party, Mr. Bennett who has borne the duties of public office in and out of the premiership for many years should lay aside the leadership and give the reins to the hands of another and younger man is something for Mr. Bennett himself and his followers to decide. Certain it is that the rank of the party must be rallied; they must gain cohesion and be instilled with new life. The hands of time are running out. It should be done without delay.

The Trans-Canada Airways
It is now pretty definite that the Western section of the transcontinental airways will get off to a fair start some time in the winter months. It will be remembered that the airway service was promised for last winter but in the interest of the safety of the route the work of preparation was carried out with great care, necessitating some delays. Between the Atlantic seaboard and Vancouver there will be in all about 100 regular and emergency landing fields. In 1937 some fields were constructed in the prairie and an airmail line put in operation. For purposes of economy the line was discontinued in the winter, but the depression as relief measures a number of other airports were constructed at various points across the country. Later the work was taken out of the hands of relief administration and further fields were laid out. The groundwork except in one or two places is now in good order. Some of the Western fields had to be extended and improved to accommodate airplanes of a higher cruising speed than those in use in 1936.

But laying out the groundwork is not of course the whole story. There is the equipment, the radio beacon, ground radio, the weather equipment to keep pilots constantly informed of changing weather conditions, and work on this equipment has been going steadily forward. There has also been the training of the ground crews and the pilots. At the present time a number of young men are under training as pilots at Winnipeg. Canada has been a little behind-hand with interurban air services but as passenger, mail and freight carriage to sparsely populated areas, this country has been unequalled and probably unequalled. Its Northern frontiers are the true pioneers of present day Canada, and the people of this country need have little fear that they will not be well served by the young men, trained in such an atmosphere who will take over the piloting of the new service. There are now four planes with a speed of about 180 miles an hour in the hands of the airways and more are on order and will be delivered within the next few months. In equipment of every kind and facilities available to the pilots and passengers the new airways will be quite up to any service operating in the United States. The planes being purchased are not of the largest

type; they will have accommodation for up to eleven passengers, some planes carrying a smaller number. It was decided that planes of this size were suitable to our needs. When the Eastern section of the route will be in full operation it is not certain but the probabilities are that the line from Vancouver at least to Montreal will be in full swing before the end of next summer. It is possible that the coming year will see the line from the Pacific to the Atlantic complete.

One of the important features of the new line for the future is its projected cooperation with other lines to form an all-India system about the world. Last summer tests were made across the Atlantic. This summer further tests will be made aiming at the inauguration of a regular transatlantic service. This step by step the vision of a world crossed by regular services is being reached. Mails from London will be carried to Vancouver in between two and three days. An interesting future development of the Trans-Canada service will probably be the inauguration of such a country to Alaska and across Eastern Siberia. This way will have the advantage of passing over land, not the wide stretches of the Pacific, but nothing on this venture can be done until affairs become more settled in China and Japan.



RONALD E. MITCHELL, M. A.
of the Dept. of Extension of U. of A.
Mr. Mitchell is director of Dramatics succeeding Mrs E. S. Haynes. He made his first public appearance since his appointment by acting as adjudicator at the sub-regional Festival held last week at Red Deer in which contest musical carried off the honors in the Play, Joint Organ in Spain.

BEULAH NELSON HONORED AT SHOWER

Mrs Percy Wright's home was the centre Monday evening for an attractively arranged miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Beulah Nelson whose marriage to Mr Gordon Kearns is an event of this month. A color scheme of pink and white streamers throughout with white wedding bells gave a very pretty effect.

Court Waltz was played at five tables in which Mrs O. Watt and Mrs McNeill won the high and low favors.

Delicious refreshments were served from a long table on which was centered a lovely tier wedding cake.

Following refreshments Ada Wright brought in a huge tier wedding cake, decorated in pink and white. A grape paper, which on opening revealed a lovely array of beautiful and useful gifts.

Strathmore citizens will unite with the guests in wishing the young couple a very happy and prosperous wedded life.

A CORRECTION

In the account in last week's paper of the passing of Mrs J. M. Christie, the date of her birth was given as 1873. This should have read 1888.

Local News Items

Mr D. McMurtry has just returned from a trip to Eastern Canada, during which he visited the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto, International Stock Show in Chicago and Montreal.

We compliment the Greyhound Bus Co. on its newly selected route through Strathmore Streets. While the change does not make for the convenience that some of its erstwhile passengers enjoyed, nevertheless the new route gives to the stranger passing through our town a better view of some of our more attractive homes, and in summer the gardens surrounding these homes and the change is all to the good in this respect.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs Irene December 16th at 8 o'clock p.m. Every member requested to be present as this is the last meeting of the year. Exchange of Xmas tokens will be the feature of this meeting.

Mrs Gordon is spending a few days with her daughter and son Miss Gordon and Raymond.

MRS TIBBETT HONORED ON 90th BIRTHDAY

Mrs Tibbett, a former Strathmore resident was the interesting honor guest at the home of Mrs E. E. Thompson in Calgary, also formerly of Strathmore. The occasion was Mrs Tibbett's 90th birthday and the bright old lady was the recipient of numerous tokens of good will. Among those present were Mrs E. W. K. Lamb, Mrs Hopkins, Mrs Saunders and Mrs Sorensen. Mrs Tibbett left Strathmore for Calgary in 1928.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS NUMBER

The Annual Christmas Number of the Strathmore Standard will be published next week. Watch for it. Strathmore Stores are full of Special Merchandise to make the Christmas Dinner complete, and of dainty and useful gifts to give to the near-at-home friend or the one far away.

Our merchants will tell you of their wares in special advertisements. Christmas stories and legends will be featured, and the six prize winning essays in the Standard's Christmas Contest will be published. Watch for your Standard, December 16th.

ONE KICK YOU CAN GET OUT OF THE DEPRESSION



EMMY - MAKE UP AND GET A LAUGH - I HEAR A BURGLAR HUNTING AROUND DOWN STAIRS!!

HA! HA! HO! HO!

WEDDINGS

ANDERSON - KEARNS

A wedding of much local interest was solemnized in St. Michael's Church Tuesday at 11 a.m. when Edna Anderson and Jack Kearns, both Strathmore bachelors and spinners, were united in marriage, the Rev. G. W. Lang officiating. The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs J. J. Kearns, pioneers in the Strathmore district, who have taken an active part in the development of the community.

Mr Anderson comes from Scotland where his parents still reside. The bride, given in marriage by her father, looked most attractive in a gown of white satin and veil of ivory lace and tulle fastened in cap shape with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and fern.

The bridesmaid also (Vivian Harte) niece of the bride chose for the occasion a very becoming gown of dark blue sheer chiffon and dark blue of tulle. Her bouquet was of lovely yellow poppies.

Mr Bob Kearns of Calgary, brother of the bride was best man.

As the bridal party entered the church Lohengrin's Wedding March was played by Mrs Bob Kearns.

Following the customary reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, where the happy young couple received the felicitations of their friends. The wedding breakfast was served from an attractively appointed table on which the three tier wedding cake held central place.

The toast to the bride was ably proposed by Mr Cliff Way, the groom responding happily for himself and his bride.

Later in the afternoon the young couple left by train for Calgary where the honeymoon will be spent. They will reside on the groom's farm east of Strathmore.

The standard joins with other friends in extending good wishes for happiness and prosperity for many years.

CHRISTMAS ESSAYS

Rev. V. M. Gilbert, Rev. G. W. Lang and Mr T. Schultz have kindly acted as judges for the Christmas Essays in the Standard's Contest. We tender our sincere appreciation to these gentlemen for their cheerfully rendered assistance.

ALAB, HOW TRUE!

Mattie, how long had you known your husband before you got married? Later, I didn't know him at all—only thought I did.

CURLING CLUB DANCE

The Curlers' Masquerade dance was a decided success. A large number were in costume and there were some specially clever and interesting costumes, many attracting special mention.

Prizes were awarded as follows: Best dressed Gent.—Jim Bremner. Best dressed Lady.—Jean Garrett. Most Comic Lady.—Bud Miller. Most Comic Gent.—Jack Bremner. Best Original.—Art Anderson. Music was supplied by a local orchestra and the light fantastic was tripped to the tune of hours. The committee is to be congratulated on the general success.

LIQUOR CONVICTIONS

We regret to learn that the provisions of the Liquor Act are being violated in Strathmore. Chopped will be in possession of liquor contrary to the statute two young men were recently convicted and heavily fined. It is hoped that these convictions will act as a deterrent, and that Strathmore will not again appear in this unsavory light.

SOROSIS SOCIETY MEETING

There was a good attendance at regular meeting of the Sorosis Society Wednesday evening. The President Mrs Nichol presided. Plans were made for the packing of Christmas Cheer Hampers and other details discussed.

Mrs Ian McKenzie was elected Treasurer to fill the vacancy made by Mrs Brown's removal to Calgary.

Three new members, Mrs O. H. Patrick, Mrs O. H. Christensen, and Mrs Wm. Hildson were received.

A motion to dispense with a nominating committee for this year and re-elect the present executive was unanimously carried.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday January 12, 1938.

LOCALS

Ernie Wilson who suffered two broken ribs when the car in which he was riding upset on the icy roads near Nanaka is making a fine recovery. He is being cared for at the home of Mrs Bremner.

Bobby Koch is now well on the way to being well again after an intensely sore throat.

Mrs Paul Christensen is still quite ill in the Holy Cross Hospital.

BARGAIN

Wiley—Darling, can you spare a dollar?
Hubby—Say, what do you think I am? I had to earn money by my wit.
Wiley—Oh! Well, give me a half dollar then.

COMING EVENTS

Big Novelty dance in Memorial hall Friday, December 10th, under auspices of Strathmore Dramatic Club. Do not miss it.

Christmas Special in Permanent Waving. Apply Fay's Beauty Parlor, Phone No. 6.

The Sorosis Society will be packing their Christmas Cheer Hampers in the Sample Room of the King Edward Hotel, December 15 and 16. Donations of any kind, from members or friends will be gratefully received as no article of clothing suitable for wear.

The annual meeting of the Curling Club will be held in the Town Hall, Tuesday, December 14th at 8 p.m. It is particularly requested that all interested in curling will attend.

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Let go quarrel and contention, nor embroil thyself in trouble and differences by being over-solicitous in thy own defence. Thomas A. Kempis.

You have to believe in happiness
Or happiness never comes.
I know that a bird chirps none the less
When all that he finds is trouble.

You have to believe the birds will
grow,
Believe in the grass and the days of
spring.

Ah! there's the reason a bird can
sing.
On his darkest day he believes in
spring.

You have to believe in happiness.
It isn't an outward thing.
The Spring never makes the song.
The song makes the Spring.

As much as the song the Spring.
Aye, many a heart could find content
If it saw the Joy on the road it went
on.

Counting the blessings that life
bestows,
Do not forget to count your nose.
Whether it's built with a hump in
the middle.

Carved as a hook, or flat as a griddle;
Though as a button, it ties up your
face,
Or leaps ahead with an airy grace;

Whether it's long or whether it's
short.
Built for a sniff or a tipping snort.
Think what wisdom it works to bring,
And call your nose a jolly old thing.

Steele ready to leave the pot,
Coffee and onion piping hot.
Lilies purpling over the hedge,
Salt in the air at the ocean's edge.

Good cigars in a cedar case,
Lavender laid in a box of lace;
One of them all is brought to you
By the organ the world is rude to.

So among the blessings that life
bestows,
Count one of the best the humble nose.
R. H. M.

"If Canada's 60,000 war dead could
return today, they would be heart-
broken over the apparent wreckage of
our civilization. They fought and died
to make the world safe and sane, but
they would witness a world where de-
mocracy was never in greater peril
than when men worship strange gods,
where force seems to triumph over
reason, and where hatred is gaining
on good-will." Hon. Ian MacKenzie.

ARDENODE

Mr and Mrs A. M. Watson spent
the week end visiting in Calgary.

Miss Edyth Kearns and Mr G. And-
erson spent Wednesday last looking
over the city.

Mr John Davis was a Calgary visitor
Thursday last.

The annual School Concert will be
held on Thursday evening at 8 p.m.
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LYALTA

SHOWER FOR MR & MRS POWELL

Tuesday evening, November 30th

about 80 guests assembled in the Ly-

alta hall where a shower was held in

honor of Mr and Mrs. Joan Powell.

Mrs Powell was before her marriage

Miss Eileen Novak of Chualar. Dur-

ing the first part of the evening musical

selections by Mr and Mrs J. E.

McKibbin of Calgary, Andy Stickey

and Wilfrid Kirkland were greatly en-

joyed, with Ian Keer as master of

ceremonies. In presenting the many

beautiful gifts a poem composed by

Mrs Walter Keer was read to the

guests of honor by Kate Gorman. Af-

ter a delicious supper, the remainder

of the evening was happily spent in

dancing.

CARSELAND

G. B. Field has left for Oshawa

where he will purchase a new Chev-

rolet. He will motor to Montreal

where he will visit H. C. Gardner re-

cently of Carseland and other friends

—!!

Burrell Cole and L. A. Phillips

have returned from a big game hunt

West of Rocky Mountain. They

brought back a fine big moose and a

deer.

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and 41,557 hogs and 127,000 tons
(not pounds) of fresh and cured
dressed meat as well. And most is
only one of the Western items that
goes on the table of the Eastern work-
er. He bought well over \$15,000,000
worth of grains, poultry, eggs, honey
and other commodities, and consumed
no less than 10,000 tons of butter to
the value of another \$4,500,000.

The well-being of such a market—a
market aggregating over \$40,000,000
—is of vital value to you. It is to
your interest to have the Eastern
industrial worker in steady employ-
ment, the steadier the better, for the
steadier his work the greater his con-
sumption of your products.

Western purchases of Made-in-Canada
cars mean work, not only to the auto-
mobile and allied industries, but in
hundreds of other plants as well. They
mean pay-rolls and pay-rolls mean
purchasing power.

And don't forget that this domestic
market brings far better prices than
does the export market.

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A REVIEW OF THE SEASON'S NEW BOOKS

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Nothing is more amazing to me as a librarian than the endless stream of new books that pour from the printing presses throughout the year, and, with a quickened tempo, culminate in the floodtide surge of the Christmas season.

After all these years, my pulses can still quicken on reading a review, or scanning a glowing advertisement, of some new work of genius which may turn out to be a squib, as is too often the case, since profits have come to loom large in the minds of publishers.

And publishers are today big business, and fortunes are spent in advertising, the promising book. Recent booklists in London, Toronto and Toronto have attracted great throngs to a preview.

You and I, dear reader, must be content with a somewhat distant view, using a telephone lens. This too has its advantages. I shall not pretend to you that I have read all the books I shall mention. Some of them are not even on sale as yet, but all will be available for the Christmas trade, towards which good editors and press men strain, since there are so many people who only buy books at Christmas time, and so do lip service to culture.

While it is undoubtedly true that too many books are being published, and not a few worthless ones, the high quality of a great number is more significant factor. The English speaking world of some 200,000,000 people is a huge market, and its prices lure the ablest minds, the cleverest writers of the day.

This is an age in which change is the dominant note. We are confronted daily with new problems, fresh changes and developments in the technological, social, economic, and political fields. With amazing rapidity new books appear, telling us what the man in the street, the thinker, the scientist, think about these new problems, which have their impact too.

upon the novelist, the poet, the dramatist.

Now I shall attempt to give you a bird's eye view of a few of the more significant and arresting new books. Memoirs and Biography

The Life of Madame Curie by her daughter Eve, (Doubleday, \$4.00) has already reached and impressed a host of readers in the pages of the Saturday Evening Post, a book for those who prize the devotion of the great scientist.

The Importance of Living by Lin Yutang, that eminent Chinese writer, (Doubleday, \$3.00) tells the story of his pilgrimage through life in the U. S., a book of unusual charm and distinction.

My Scottish Youth by that accomplished writer, Bruce Lockhart, (Putnam, \$3.00) is sure to find many eager readers.

The Memoirs of Sir Ronald Storrs (Putnam, \$5.00), is a big book by a big man. Storrs has made a great name as an administrator in Egypt, in Palestine and Cyprus. A man of unusual culture, to whom his friend T. E. Lawrence pays high tribute in his Seven Years of Wisdom, he will be widely read.

Vernon Bartlett's This Is My Life (Chatto 12-6), which has recently appeared in England, concerns itself with the European scene; a warm human book, with some of the scenes we have become familiar with in London calling, Hello, Canada!

Continued next week—From Western Farm Leader.

ALBERTA AGAIN WHEAT CHAMPIONSHIP FOR 1937

In keenest wheat competition for many years Alberta won the first 14 prizes at the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto.

Seventeen year old James Sebastian of Wembley won the grand championship with a fine sample of Beward, weight 69.5 lbs. Another notable entry by the Immigration and Colonization Dept. C. P. M. in Strathmore was placed fourth, weight 69 lbs.

It is the first time in several years that unregistered wheat topped the registered section.

We note Herman Treile the well known Alberta wheat grower showed a sample of Marquis for his entry, in honor of the creator of this variety the late Sir Charles Saunders. In this connection a suggestion has been made by a local citizen that a fitting tribute be made to this great Canadian by our senior government in the presentation of a Saunders Trophy to be won annually for the best sample of Marquis wheat.

LIKELY TO BE DETAINED

Is the doctor in?
No, sir, and I don't know how long will be. He's been called to an emergency case.

ONLY THOSE who have the patience to do simple things perfectly ever acquire the skill to do difficult things easily.—Schiller.

NAMAKA

A reception in honour of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Thompson was held on Monday in the I. O. O. F. Hall. What and Bridge was enjoyed until 11 p.m. when supper was served, after which Mr. E. C. Watts on behalf of the community presented Mr. and Mrs. Thompson with a lovely rosette dish and half dozen silver tea spoons. Mr. Thompson replied expressing his thanks for their kindness and good wishes. Dancing followed to the strains of music supplied by Jack Bremner's orchestra. All enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

The card party scheduled for Wednesday 8th has been postponed until Monday, December 13th.

Mr. H. Hansen was a visitor in the district last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thompson left on Tuesday for Calgary where they will spend a few days before leaving by bus for Nebraska, where they will spend several weeks with relatives.



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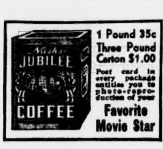
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Church Notes

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
 Strathmore, Alberta.
 Rev. V. M. Gilbert, B. A., B. D.
 Minister.

Sunday, December 12th, 1937
 11:30 a.m.—Combined Church
 School and Worship.
 Chancel—
 2:45 p.m. Worship. Withdrawn for
 this Sunday.
 Strathmore—
 11 a.m.—Church School.
 7:30 p.m. Worship.
 Subject—Stealing and Giving.
 Pianist and Choir Leader—
 Miss E. Hirtle, Graduate Mount
 Allison Conservatory.

ST. MICHAEL'S AND ALL ANGELS'
 CHURCH

Insubmers—
 Rev. Geo. W. Lang, B. A., L.H.
 Dec. 12th, 3rd Sunday in Advent
 8 a.m.—Celebration of Holy Com-
 munion. Monthly A.Y.P.A. Cor-
 porate Communion & Breakfast.
 10 a.m.—Sunday School.
 11 a.m.—Service of Matins and
 Sermon. Subject—Jesus Christ
 and Social Reform.

7:30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
 St. Andrew's Church, Gleichen.
 Friday at 7 p.m. the Lord Bishop of
 Calgary the Rt. Rev. L. Ralph Sher-
 man will conduct a service of Con-
 firmation in St. Michael's, Strathmore.

SACRED HEART CHURCH
 STRATHMORE

Mass every Sunday 10:30 a.m. ex-
 cepting first Sunday of the month,
 when Mass will be at 10 a.m.

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH

First Sunday of the Month. Mass
 at 11 a.m.

REV. FATHER O'BRIEN, Pastor

FRATERNAL

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 Meetings held the Second Tuesday
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 INSPIRING PROGRAM
 FRIDAY 8 P.M. M.S.T.
 CICA—CFAC—CJOC—CFRN
 CKBI—CFQC—CKCK

GOOD OATS FOR SALE—CLEAN-
 ed. Apply Dan Fraser, Strathmore.

HIRTLE'S THEATRE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
 DECEMBER 10 and 11
 DODGE CITY TRAIL

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
 DECEMBER 17th and 18th

Double Feature—
 BULLDOGG DRUMMOND
 COMES BACK
 with John Barrymore—
 and—
 HOPALONG RIDES AGAIN

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BILLIARD ROOM
 AND BOWLING
 ALLEYS
 STRATHMORE
 Tobacco and All
 Smokers' Necessaries
 R. HAMBLY, Prop.

TRAIN SCHEDULE
 For Strathmore
 Going West 8:55 a.m.
 Going East 9:02 a.m.
 For Carleton Place
 Going West 8:45 a.m.
 Going East 9:10 a.m.

PETE DE KOET Carpenter STRATHMORE

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MERCURY—Double Screened Lump,
 Delivered off car, per ton \$6.40
 MUTUAL LUMP—
 Delivered off car, per ton \$6.50
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 Local Agent for—The Sun Life Assurance
 Co. of Canada and Canadian Westinghouse.
 Phone 106 Strathmore

TOWN OF STRATHMORE NOTICE RE TAXES

—1937—
 Taxpayers are reminded that taxes
 unpaid December 31st are subject to
 a penalty of 4 per cent.
 T. M. WEATIS, Sec. Treas.
 Dec. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30.

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Mrs. Christensen and family wish to
 thank their many friends for their
 sympathy and kindness shown them
 during their recent bereavement.



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 S. LIBIN, Manager

JAP ORANGES—

Box 98c

CANDY—

Brilliant Mixed, 35c
 2 lbs 85c
 Lily Creams— 20c
 1 lb 95c
 English Mixed— 20c
 1 lb 95c
 Fruit Jellies— 23c
 2 lbs 45c
 Chocolate Drops 20c
 1 lb 95c
 Mellow Creams— 20c
 1 lb 95c
 Xmas Mixed— 35c
 2 lbs 85c
 5 lbs 85c

MIXED NUTS—

with Peanuts, 35c
 2 lbs 85c
 5 lbs 85c

MIXED NUTS—

No Peanuts, 38c
 2 lbs 95c
 5 lbs 95c

WALNUTS—

California, lb 20c

WALNUTS—

Manchurian, 14c
 1 lb 28c

ALMONDS—

Soft Shell, 1 lb 28c

FILBERTS—

1 lb 20c

BRAZILS—

1 lb 28c

PEANUTS—

2 lbs 23c
 5 lbs 55c

PECAN NUTS

1 lb 23c

SMYRNA FIGS—

1 lb 25c
 10 lb box \$2.20

APPLES—

Delicious, \$1.75
 Small size, \$1.75
 Box \$2.10
 Large Size, \$2.10
 Box \$2.10

APPLES—

McIntosh Reds, \$1.65
 Unwrapped, \$2.25
 Case \$2.25
 Fancy Wrapped, \$2.25
 Case \$2.25

Northern Spys—

Fancy Wrapped, \$2.25
 Box \$2.25

Wegeners—

Fancy Wrapped, \$2.10
 Box \$2.10

JAP ORANGES—

Box 98c

GINGER ALE—

Xmas Wrapped, 90c
 Large Bottles, 90c
 6 for 90c

7-UP—

Large Bottles, \$1.20
 6 for \$1.20

LIME RICKY—

Large Bottles, 90c
 6 for 90c

Two Fancy Glasses—

Free with each 6 bot-
 tles. A deposit of 6c
 on each bottle is re-
 quired.

BISQUITS—

Special assortment,
 Sweet, 1 lb 20c

CANNED FRUIT—

PEARS—Sliced, 25c
 2 tins for 50c
 6 tins for 60c

PINEAPPLE—

Sliced or Crushed, 25c
 2 tins 25c
 6 tins 60c

APPLES—

McIntosh Red, \$1.59
 Crates \$1.59

APPLES—

Fancy Wrapped, \$1.75
 Delicious, \$2.10
 Small Size \$2.10

FLOUR—

Straight Grade, \$3.50
 98 lbs \$3.50

ROLLED OATS—

Robin Hood China, 29c
 or Silverware, \$1.10
 20 lb sack 33c
 6 lbs 33c

SOUP—

Aymer, Vegetable 25c
 or Tomato, 25c
 3 tins 25c

SOAP—

LUX SOAP— 25c
 4 Bars 25c

P. & G. SOAP—

10 Bars 45c

GINGER SNAPS—

2 lbs 25c

LARD—Pure—

2 lbs 35c
 5 lbs 85c

BACON—

Sliced, 1 lb 30c
 Half or Whole, 27c
 1 lb 27c

TEA—

Nabob, 1 lb 49c
 Blue Ribbon, 49c
 1 lb 49c

CHESSE—

Round, About 2 lbs 23c
 Each, 1 lb 23c

ORANGES—

Large Size, 35c & 40c
 Dozen 35c & 40c